

**Applicant:** Pan et al.  
**Application No.:** 09/901,289

### **REMARKS**

Claims 11-23 are pending in this application. Claims 1-23 were elected for further prosecution during a telephone discussion between the Examiner and Jeffrey Glabicki on February 3, 2005.

Claims 1-12 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,580,703 to Okubo et al. (hereinafter "Okubo"). Claim 4 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Okubo in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,421,380 to Gu et al.

The Examiner has indicated that claims 11 and 12 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. The Examiner has also indicated that claims 13-23 are allowed.

By the foregoing amendments, Applicant has canceled the non-elected claims (i.e., claims 24-46) and has canceled claims 1-10. Claims 11 and 12 have been amended to include all of the limitations of the base claim (claim 1) and any intervening claims (claim 7).


It is respectfully submitted that the amendments and remarks made herein place pending claims 11-23 in condition for allowance. Accordingly, entry of this amendment as well as reconsideration and allowance of pending claims 11-23 are respectfully requested.

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If the Examiner does not believe that the claims are in condition for allowance, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 215-568-6400.

Respectfully submitted,

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